



For Ohio: Probably rain tonight and Friday warmer in east and north portions tonight. Much colder Friday.

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Ten Cents a Week

## CLAIM RUSSIA HAS REVOKED DEMOBILIZATION ORDER

### SOCIETY GIRLS AID SMILEAGE CAMPAIGN



SMILE-AGENTS

Pretty Boston girls selling "Smileage Books" at the booth erected on the Boston Common. Each ticket in the books entitles one soldier to admission to the smileage theatres which have been erected in the various army camps throughout the country.

### SPOTLIGHT IS TO BE TURNED ON HOG ISLAND

President Orders Probe of Now Famous Hog Island Contracts.

Reckless Expenditure of Funds Indicated.

By Associated Press Dispatch.  
Washington, February 14.—President Wilson today directed Attorney General Gregory to investigate the much discussed Hog Island shipyard contracts which have been adversely criticised before the Senate Commerce committee and determine if there has been any criminal misuse of government funds.  
About \$42,000,000 of government money has been involved in the Hog Island project.  
Investigation by the Department of Justice was recommended by Chairman Hurley of the Shipping Board. Shipping Board officials think there has been nothing worse at Hog Island than inefficient management and a reckless spending of funds.

### NO BOOST IN BREAD PRICE

By Associated Press Dispatch.  
Columbus, O., February 14.—Increased bread prices by bakers in Ohio will not be sanctioned until complete information is placed by the bakers with the Food Administrator showing such prices are justified, it was announced today by Fred C. Croxton, state food administrator, following an order received from Federal Food Administrator Hoover saying reports had been received that bakers proposed raising prices on account of price of wheat flour substitutes.

### AUTO REGISTRAR HAS RESIGNED

By Associated Press Dispatch.  
Columbus, O., February 14.—W. A. McCurdy, state registrar of automobiles, has tendered his resignation effective March 1 that he may accept a position as manager of the Ohio Automobile Trade Association.  
A civil service examination will be held before a successor is named. The department is a branch of the office of secretary of state.

### MOVING MEN PLAN CHANGED

By Associated Press Dispatch.  
Washington, February 14.—Movement of men to complete the first draft beginning on February 23rd will not be completed within the following five days as originally planned, but will extend over into March.

A movement not included in previous announcements will begin March 4th, moving 10,077 men to Fort Oglethorpe, Ga., and Camp Funston.

The following increments of white men will go to Fort Oglethorpe: Delaware, 281; New Jersey, 940; Michigan, 1500; Ohio, 1500; West Virginia, 1520, making a total of 5,741.  
It was explained at the office of the Provost Marshal General that the 1,520 men to be supplied by West Virginia were previously ordered to start for camp beginning February 23rd, but today's call has postponed their movement.

### COAL DEALERS ARE INDICTED

By Associated Press Dispatch.  
Knoxville, Tenn., February 14.—The Federal Grand Jury here today returned 23 indictments against 47 defendants including coal operators, coal dealers and coal brokers of the east Tennessee field, charging violation of the food control bill.

Uneasiness Shown In Official Circles of Central Powers Who Are Not Certain of Future Attitude of Trotzky and the Bolsheviki Government.

### GERMAN PRESS REPORTS SHOW RUSSIA NOT YET OUT OF GAME

American Batteries Play Important Part in Big Raid of French in Champagne on Wednesday—Activities Increasing on Western Front.

(By Associated Press Dispatch)

Uneasiness over the Russian situation in German and Austrian official circles is indicated in reports in the German press. The Central Powers are said to be uncertain concerning the future attitude of Foreign Minister Trotzky and the Bolsheviki government, and one Berlin paper says the announcement that the Russian army had been ordered demobilized was a "sham manoeuvre."

German leaders are said to have held a conference as to the best course to pursue. One report is to the effect that military operations against the Bolsheviki might be resumed.

Circulation of the message ordering the demobilization of the Russian army, the German papers say, was halted three hours after the order was sent out.

### AMERICAN BATTERIES TAKE PART

PARIS, February 14.—(Associated Press Cable)—American batteries took part in the artillery bombardment in connection with the large French raid in the Champagne yesterday, it is announced officially. Effective assistance was given by the American gunners.

This is the first mention of American batteries on the Champagne. The assumption is that the American artillerymen mentioned are part of the numbers undergoing instruction by the French before taking up the task of supporting their own infantry. The Butte Du Mesnil near which the raid was carried out, lies in the area in which the great French offensive of 1915 took place.

It is some two miles northeast of Le Mesnil-Lez-Hurlus and slightly less than that distance southeast of Tahure—a place frequently mentioned in the official reports.

Tahure is named in today's Berlin official reports which concedes a French success in the raid near that place, admitting a footing was secured by the French in a salient of the German position.

Concerning the situation in Petrograd there has been no press reports since Tuesday.

In France there has been a slight increase in the fighting activities. In the Champagne the French penetrated to the third German line south of Butte Mesnil on a front of about 1200 yards. On the American front there has been no activity of consequence. The Germans are reported to be working assiduously building new defenses and bringing fresh troops to the western front.

The Associated Press correspondent at French army headquarters says the Germans now have 195 divisions, probably 2,340,000 men on the front between the North Sea and the Swiss border.  
Nineteen British, 4 Italian and French merchantmen are reported sunk by submarines or mines, in the current statement of shipping losses.

Disclosure of British production in 1917 shows that the tonnage sunk last year by submarines was three times as great as that built in the United States and Great Britain. Increased production is expected in 1918.  
The British House of Commons yesterday defeated an amendment offered by a radical member which regretted that war monopolized the energies of the government. The ministers had declared passage of the resolution would cause the resignation of the Lloyd George cabinet.

In the debate Lord Robert Cecil, minister of blockade, said the British were giving attention to a league of nations and he had prepared a scheme for it.

### SHIP WORKERS OUT ON STRIKE

By Associated Press Dispatch.  
Baltimore, February 14.—Government shipbuilding at this port was seriously hampered today by strike

of carpenters and joiners in the shipbuilding plant of the Bethlehem Steel Company, at Sparrow's Point, and the Boston Dry Docks and Shipbuilding Company.  
Leaders of the men refused to discuss their action saying "they know all about it in Washington."

### PROFITEERING NOT ALLOWED

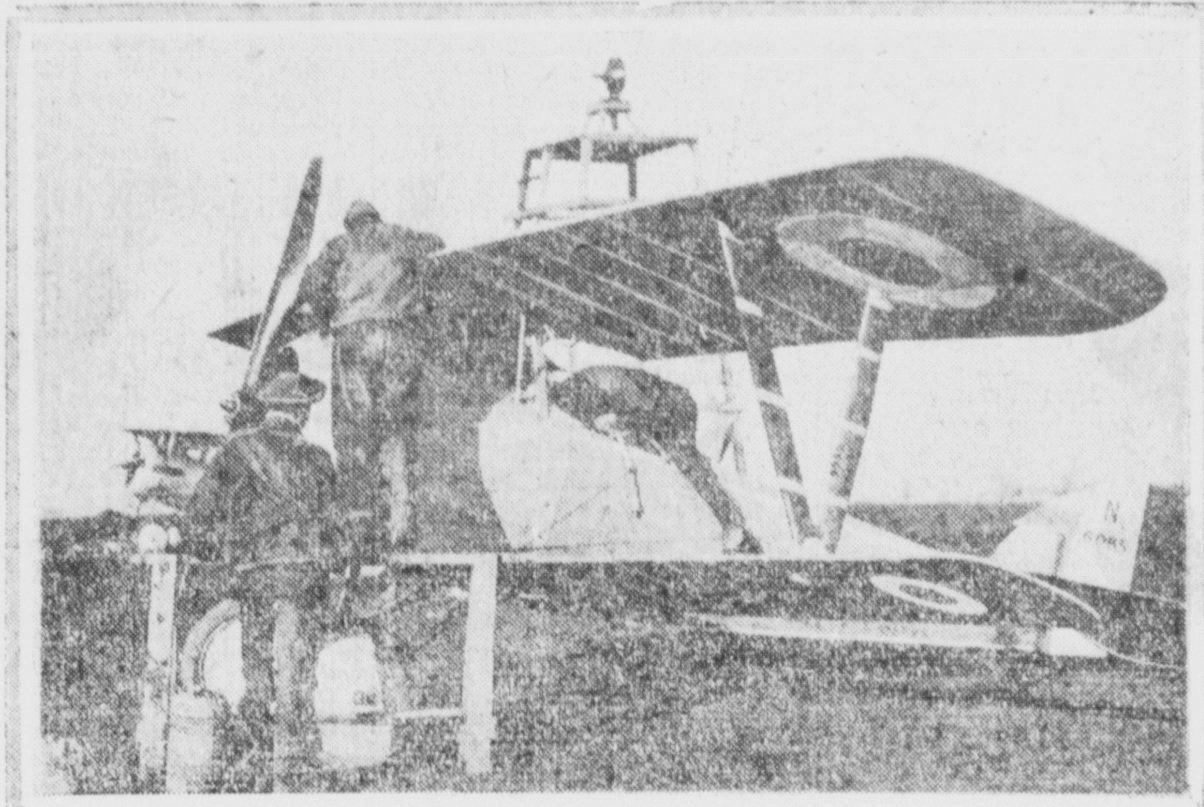
Columbus, O., February 14.—The Federal Food Administration in Ohio has a dragnet out for speculators and profiteers among distributors of seed corn, it became known today when the Federal Food Administrator dealt with the first violation of the food control law against profiteering.

Two men were held to be guilty of profiteering and speculating when it was shown upon investigation that they admitted buying seed corn at \$2 per bushel and selling it at several dollars increase over this amount.

### WILL CONTROL SHIP LINES

By Associated Press Dispatch.  
Washington, February 14.—Coastwise and Great Lake steamship lines operated by railroads today were placed by Director General McAdoo under the supervision of W. H. Pleasant, of New York, president of the Ocean Steamship Co., who was designated manager of the main section of the railroad administration.  
Special attention will be given to organization of water transportation facilities to insure greater movement of coal next winter.

### SEVERE TEST FOR PLANES BEFORE FLIGHT



A TEST BEFORE THE FLIGHT. A biplane of the Aviation Squadron now stationed in France, and every machine is thoroughly tested by expert mechanics before its aviator takes to flight.

### SIR CECIL RICE DIES

By Associated Press Dispatch.  
OTTAWA, CAN., FEBRUARY 14.—DEATH CAME PEACEFULLY AT ONE O'CLOCK THIS MORNING TO SIR CECIL SPRING RICE, UNTIL RECENTLY THE BRITISH AMBASSADOR TO THE UNITED STATES. SIR CECIL HAD COMPLAINED OF NOT FEELING WELL FOR SOME TIME.

### NORWAY IS NOT WILLING

By Associated Press Dispatch.  
Washington, February 14.—Norway in her reply to the proposals of the United States for a food rationing agreement made public here today by Dr. Fridtjof Fransen, head of the Norwegian special mission, offers to guarantee that no American products shall go through Norway to Germany, but declines to meet the full American demands for a restricted export of Norwegian products to the Central Powers.

### NAVY CHAPLAIN



RICHARD J. DAVIS

Richard J. Davis, a Boston Christian Scientist, has been appointed by Secretary Daniels as the first Christian Science chaplain in the Navy.

### POSSE AFTER MURDERER

By Associated Press Dispatch.  
Bisbee, Arizona, February 14.—Two troops of United States cavalry and posses from 6 counties were co-operating today in an effort to capture Thomas Powers, John Powers and Thomas Sissons, sought for the murder of three Graham county officers in a fight in the Graham mountains Sunday.  
The fight took place when the officers attempted to arrest the Powers brothers as draft evaders. Jefferson Powers, father of the brothers, also was killed.

### DANGEROUS ICE FLOES

By Associated Press Dispatch.  
Pittsburg, February 14.—The large ice gorge in the Monongohela near Brownsville, Pa., almost ten miles in length and an ice gorge in the Allegheny near Parkers Landing, Pa., broke almost simultaneously this afternoon.  
River men predict both gorges will sweep out into the Ohio River at about the same time—about three o'clock tomorrow morning.

### HENNING GETS HIS FREEDOM

By Associated Press Dispatch.  
New York, February 14.—By direction of the court and at the request of the Federal District Attorney the jurors in the trial for treason of Paul C. H. Henning today returned a verdict of not guilty.  
Henning, a naturalized German, was accused of tampering with parts of gyroscopes for use in torpedoes made for the United States government.

Murphy Reports to Pershing.  
Paris, Feb. 14.—Major Grayson M. P. Murphy, American Red Cross commissioner to Europe since last May, reported to General Pershing for duty with the American expeditionary forces. Major James H. Perkins thereupon formally assumed control of the American Red Cross work in France.

### HERTLING PREPARES TO ANSWER

Important Peace Debate in Reichstag Planned for February 21st Says Dispatch.

Treaty With Ukraine Also to Come in for Discussion by Teutons.

(By Associated Press Cable)  
London, February 14.—An important peace debate will begin in the Reichstag on February 21st, according to a wireless dispatch from Amsterdam.

Chancellor Von Hertling will discuss the treaty with the Ukraine and will reply to President Wilson, Premier Orlando, and Premier Lloyd George.

An Amsterdam dispatch received in London Tuesday reported that Count Von Hertling intended to answer President Wilson Tuesday.

### MUST BURN MOREWOOD

By Associated Press Dispatch.  
Columbus, O., February 14.—A meeting of all county fuel administrators has been called for Tuesday by Homer H. Johnson, Federal State Fuel Administrator here.

The purpose is to discuss the coal situation particularly with reference to plans for getting coal to domestic consumers during the summer.

There also will be something done in the way of a campaign plan to encourage the cutting and buying of wood for fuel during the summer months...



TESTED RECIPES FOR WAR TIMES

Swiss Honey Cakes  
1/2 cup shortening; 1 pound strained honey; 1 lemon; 1/2 cup flour; 1/2 teaspoon soda; 2 teaspoons baking powder; 1/2 teaspoon nutmeg; 1/2 cup almonds; flour to make dough.

Melt shortening, if oil is used this will be unnecessary. Add the honey and stir well. Remove from the fire at once and cool. Add the grated rind and juice of the lemon. Sift the soda, baking powder and nutmeg with the 1/2 cup flour. Add this to the honey mixture. Add enough flour to make a dough stiff enough to be handled. Mix all well and set away in a cool place overnight. Roll out one-fourth inch thick, cut in squares, diamonds or circles with a doughnut cutter, sprinkle with finely chopped nuts and bake in a moderate oven.

Apricot Ice

1 cup corn syrup; 1 cup water; 2 cups apricot pulp and liquid; 2 table-spoons lemon juice.

Soak apricots in a small amount of water over night. Cook until soft. Mash and put through the colander. Mix well with other ingredients and freeze.

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LAST NUMBER MILLEDGEVILLE LECTURE COURSE Jones Ferrente Co. MUSIC AND MAGIC Friday Evening, Feb. 15. I. O. O. F. Hall

FATHER IN FRANCE SON IS BORN HERE

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Earl Slavens at the Slavens home in this city, this week, but it will be some three weeks until the father receives the happy news.

The father is one of the cooks in Company M, in France, and the new son bears the distinction of being one of the first born in this city or county whose father is with the colors on French soil.

FARMERS TESTING CORN FOR PLANTING

Becoming thoroughly aroused to the necessity of careful tests of seed corn, Fayette farmers are beginning to conduct careful tests along lines sufficient to ascertain if their own corn will grow, and if not, are purchasing corn from those who have good seed corn.

Many tests made are very unsatisfactory, or rather show that the corn will not grow, while in a great many other instances some good seed corn has come to light, and farmers are preparing to sell corn which they can spare and guarantee.

Growers may sell their own corn at almost any price, but one who buys corn is not allowed an excessive profit, or over about 50 cents per bushel profit.

PICKAWAY AFTER BIG WAR FUNDS

Pickaway county citizens are soon to make a drive for \$100,000 for the war chest fund, and the work will be conducted along the same lines as that of the Columbus campaign which netted more than \$3,000,000.

The war chest movement is spreading throughout the country, and is receiving liberal response from the rank and file at all points.

DEATHS POWELL

Clarence Powell, aged resident and G. A. R. veteran, who died Tuesday, was buried in the Washington cemetery Thursday afternoon.

Funeral services were held at the home on Paint street Thursday afternoon at two o'clock.

WHO SAID SPRING?

The first honest-to-goodness sign of spring is reported from Elm street, where a real game of marbles was in full swing at the noon hour Thursday, while the thermometer hovered around 68 degrees above zero.

THE COLONIAL FEBRUARY 14, 15, 16.

It sounds like fiction reading all the apparently impossible stunts ascribed to "Maciste," the powerful giant of "Cabrila" fame, in the photoplay entitled "Marvelous Maciste," which will be the attraction at the Colonial Theater, February 14, 15, 16.

Yet all these stunts are actually performed, and without intending to out rival a Keystone comedy picture, or thrill pictures like "Perils of Pauline" and "Hazards of Helen," "Maciste" by the very nature of all the stunts done by him invariably makes audiences howl with delight as they never have done before. Imagine a man piling a dozen men on a truck by twos, in the same manner as a stock clerk in a dry goods store would throw boxes of sweaters on a truck; or imagine a man carrying two men, one in each hand, by the seat of his trousers, in the same manner as a man going to market would hold a well filled basket in each hand. There has been many strong man acts in vaudeville, but there is nothing to equal "Maciste" feats. There are several surprises in each of the reels, and it is these very purposes coming at the least expected moment, that bring all the fun. The story, in brief, concerns a pretty girl, who, being pursued, seeks refuge in a picture show where "Cabrila" is being shown. Attracted by "Maciste" of the screen, the girl makes bold to ask for help. "Maciste" certainly foils the villains at every turn—"Maciste" is really rank melodrama, with comedy refreshingly thrown in. "Maciste" will make friends for everybody coming to see him at the Colonial Theater. Adv't.

Boost Washington; Buy at home.

RECALLS BASEBALL GAME BACK IN 1869

Mr. Herbert Maynard, former resident of this city, now of Waterloo, Iowa, and who has been visiting in this city, possesses a remarkable memory, and a day or two ago while in the Herald office was describing a baseball game played in this city in 1869 in which the Cincinnati Reds defeated a local aggregation by the rather decisive score of 72 to 6.

Not only did Mr. Maynard remember the score and date but he named without hesitation, virtually every player and the place held on the diamond. Mr. Maynard was score-keeper.

His recollection of events in the bygone days of Washington, when the town was a real village, is a never-ending source of entertainment to his friends.

SPECIAL SESSION COUNCIL TONIGHT

There will be a special meeting of the council tonight, at 7:30, to repeal the ordinance licensing dogs.

So far as known no other business will be taken up.

By repealing the ordinance, the county officers will have full power to act.

FRENCH CLASS

The French class that has been meeting in the Stinson building will be changed to one of the class rooms on the second floor of the Y. M. C. A.

The Red Cross Surgical Dressing class will occupy the room vacated by the French class.

JOFFRE NOT LITERARY BUT SOME WRITINGS BECOME FAMOUS

(Associated Press Correspondence)

Paris, February 5.—Marshal Joffre's letter to the Secretary of the French Academy officially announcing his candidacy to the seat of the late Jules Claretie has caused much favorable comment here but the impression appears to have gone abroad that the victor of the Marne will join the Forty immortals on his military and not his literary record.

The letter itself is brief. It reads: "Mr. Secretary:

"I have the honor to inform you that I am a candidate to the French Academy to the seat of Mr. Jules Claretie. "Please do accept, Mr. Secretary, the expression of my distinguished sentiments. "Joffre."

The military reputation of France's only Marshal overshadows his literary one to such an extent that, while the French are fully convinced that no honor in the world of letters or in any other art is too great for the popular hero, they wish to be made better acquainted with his works.

The last of them is not long and the volumes are not bulky. Indeed, the most famous writing that came from the pen of Joffre is so short that it can be reproduced here in full. It was written on the 6th of September, 1914, on the eve of the Battle of the Marne and reads:

"At this moment when a battle is about to commence upon the result of which the salvation of our country depends, no one must look behind; all must unite to attack and repel the enemy. Any troop finding itself unable to advance further must hold the ground at all cost and must fight until death. No retreat."

TO GET FACTS

(By American Press)

Columbus, Feb. 14.—Governor Cox called attention of the state board of agriculture to the fact that there is a remarkably wide margin between the prices that consumers pay for fish and the prices that dealers pay to fishermen at the lakes. The board instructed the bureau of markets to ascertain prevailing prices, profits that dealers are making and also whether the prices charged by fishermen are fair. "Fish are public property and they ought to be cheap, if nothing else is," the governor said.

The fish and game committee and Secretary N. E. Shaw were instructed to consider sites for a state game farm. Such a farm is to be purchased for the propagation of game, particularly pheasants. Until such a place can be purchased the state will lease 25 acres, adjoining the London hatchery for propagation purposes.

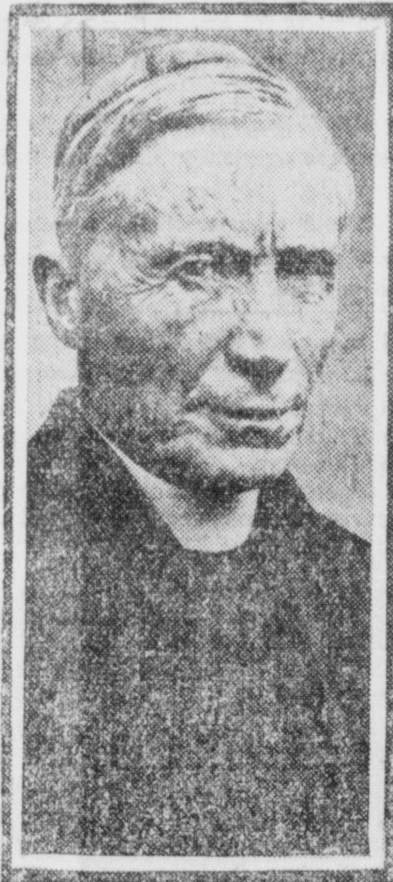
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CARDINAL TALKS



CARDINAL GIBBONS

Cardinal Gibbons, in a recent statement, declared himself opposed to national prohibition by Federal amendment and in favor of retaining State control of regulatory powers over the liquor traffic. He also asserted the adoption of a national prohibition amendment would mean the curtailment of personal liberty and be followed by an attempt to "impose other obnoxious laws" upon the nation. In strong and decisive language Cardinal Gibbons denounced the amendment and declared that legislators of the States should not bow to the fanaticism that seems to be ruling us in this respect.

CAT LAUNDERING

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Columbus, O., February 14.—Students of Ohio State University are boasting now that the school has a cat-laundrying department.

Precious felines may obtain board and lodging at the Veterinary Hospital for the nominal sum of 10 cents a day in spite of H. C. L.

While rooming at the place, the cats are carefully washed and cleaned and returned to their owner spic and span.

Many co-eds who do not have time to bathe "kitty" because of strenuous studies are said to be taking advantage of the service offered by the University.

SHORT HAULS

Washington, Feb. 14.—Director General McAdoo called before him some advisers and spread out before them a map of Ohio, gridironed by railroads. He told them they must devise ways of avoiding long hauls. They must stop sending trains down two sides of a triangle and substitute for it the horse sense method of shipping stuff by the shortest route between two given points. Then he called in another set of experts and learned all about the congestion in great terminals like Chicago and St. Louis. As a result of this much freight which formerly was routed through Chicago or St. Louis on its way to the east will not go to these towns at all. This freight will be diverted via Keokuk, Ia., and Peoria, Ill. Other routes will be devised so as to avoid crowding the railroad yards in the big cities.

WELCOMES AID

Rome, Feb. 14.—Applause and cheers for the United States met the declaration of Premier Orlando at the opening of parliament that the war situation was growing better, due to help from the United States replacing Russia. Premier Orlando reviewed the Versailles conference and pointed out that so far as Italy was concerned the continuation of the war was no longer a matter of choice, but necessity. Also, he said, this fact is understood by all patriotic Italians who are now willing to wage war to the bitter end.

Regarding Italy's aims the premier declared that they were unimperialistic. "All she wants," he declared, "and no less, and she can wish for no more than the security of her national boundaries by land and sea, and also the fulfillment of her national unity."

ALIMONY CASE IS OUT OF ORDINARY

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Columbus, O., February 14.—The Supreme Court of Ohio has been asked to decide whether the estate of a man divorced and paying alimony to his wife before his death, is required to continue the payment or if death ends the obligation.

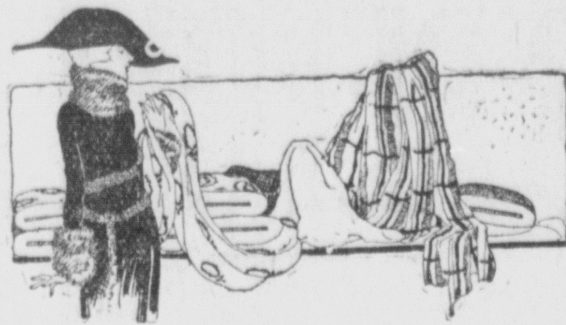
A petition to cancel a decree for alimony in the estate of Mary Graff, executrix of the estate of George Graff, filed against Louisa Graff, the divorced wife of George Graff, so that alimony might be stopped, was reviewed in the Licking county courts, which held that Graff's death did not terminate the liability of his estate to pay alimony, the estate being liable until the original court order for alimony is modified.

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REDFIELD SPEAKS

(By American Press)

Columbus, Feb. 14.—Secretary of Commerce William C. Redfield in his address to members of the chamber of commerce here said:

"The crying sin of America is waste, and this applies to factory as well as to home. There are two things that will have the greatest influence on winning this war, production and saving. It is unpatriotic to waste. What conditions will be after the war are not predictable. Let us not bother to make predictions, as the problem is not of the future, but of the hour. We must unite as a nation, man for man, or we may not need to worry what we will do after the war, for Germany will tell us. Do not to think of profits now; think of nothing but getting together to fight for the common cause."

Secretary Redfield intimated that the next Liberty loan will be for \$9,000,000,000.

SOUTH FAYETTE GROUP

The South Fayette Street Group meeting will be held at the home of the Misses Skinner, Friday at 2:30 p. m.

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The State of Ohio, Fayette County, ss: To whom it may concern:—

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By Administrators of

No. 1976 J. K. Dixon

No. 2018 H. C. Teachnor

No. 2038 Pearl Eckle

By Trustee of

No. 1522 Odd Ott

By Guardians of

No. 1043 Edith Wieser

No. 1036 Ruth Webb

No. 1990 Edith Worthington et al

All persons interested in said accounts or trusts in any way whatever will take notice that the same have been set for hearing on the 9th day of March, 1918, at or before which time exceptions may be filed to any of said accounts and the same will be heard at that date or at such other time as the Court may designate.

FRANK M. ALLEN,

Probate Judge.

January 31st, 1918.

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Excellent for sore throat, bronchitis, croup, stiff neck, asthma, neuralgia, congestion, pleurisy, rheumatism, lumbago, all pains and aches of the back or joints, sprains, sore muscles, bruises, chilblains, frost-bites, colds of the chest (it often prevents pneumonia).

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When passing in a crowd,  
We may not whisper words of cheer  
Or speak our thoughts aloud.

For no salute is given us,  
No formal martial sign  
That signals to the heart of you  
Along some unseen line.

But think not that our silence means  
A dearth of tender care;  
We meet you face to face, O lads,  
And pass you with a prayer.

A prayer that leaves our souls aglow  
With pride that such things be—  
That men like you will pledge their lives  
For peace and liberty.

We greet you "heroes," every one,  
For you there is no "fail;"  
You saw the torch that Freedom lit  
And followed in its trail;

If so you fight on land or sea  
Or strive where eagles call,  
We pass you, praying silently;  
GOD BLESS YOU, ONE AND ALL!

Memphis Commercial Appeal.

### A Prediction We Like To Hear

Sir John Foster Frazer, English traveler, journalist and lecturer, predicts the end of the war before the close of the present year. His prediction is in accord with the views of President Wilson as recently given out and is vastly welcome to the American people.

In a recent interview as published in the New York Evening Sun, the Englishman says, "It is certain now that the Germans do not expect to win. They are playing so that they do not lose. The German rulers want to save their own face and be able to say to their children of the present generation as they say of their Jutland defeat, 'we won!'"

Among reasons cited by Sir John for his belief that the war will be won this year, are three that seem specially forceful—viz—that the Central Powers will not be able to dominate the trouble that is stirring among the industrial and producing classes; that the Germans cannot accomplish what they are planning to do in their spring offensive—finding it impossible to break through the defensive of the allies, who are ready for a counter attack when German force is spent; and thirdly, that Great Britain and France have confidence in what America will be able to do.

The Englishman takes the view, a view widely shared, that Germany is far from anxious to fight the United States, not so much because of her land forces and sea power as because of a bitter feeling that will handicap future commercial relations. He also firmly believes that Germany has been past the top of her man power since 1916, while England will just be reaching hers this spring or summer and America will only be starting in the fight. England has never called 16-year-old boys to the trenches as has Germany.

This spring, too, is expected to witness reprisals for German air-raids on an extensive scale and the Navy is ready for its part in the big offensive.

The English Knight's observations strengthen the announcement made by President Wilson, that "United States officials are in possession of information which satisfies them that the military autocracy of Germany is tottering. They have evidence of a character not yet disclosed in the press dispatches that the governments of the central empires are approaching the end of their ability to enslave their own peoples and terrorize the world."

But America must not allow such encouragement to slacken her effort. As the President makes emphatic, it is the "knockout blow" this year that will crush forever the principles for which this country entered the war. It is vital that irresistible lines of steel meet the advancing Germans on the western front this spring and that the armed power of the nations combined to crush Prussianism make Germany realize that her dream of world empire is forever ended.

### The Labor Shortage

There is no denying the existence of an extreme labor shortage in the United States. The unusual and urgent demands of war have laid at the door of our productive system, a gigantic task that calls for an army of workmen.

Mine and field and shipyard and factory must be speeded up to the maximum and the response to this cry for more speed can only be answered by legions of busy hands. There is no place in our system today for the chronic idler.

In our great penal institution at Columbus there is a merciless department called the idle house. The abolition of the contract labor system has created a situation in the penitentiary that is nothing short of deplorable, and intolerable. It involves inhumanity and even lawbreakers, incarcerated for the purpose of punishment, are entitled to humane treatment. It involves a burden upon society since the occupants of the idle house are made by force of circumstance non-producers. It involves waste since idleness means nothing more than waste. Further it defeats the theory of reformation that is the more modern theory of the purpose of confining those who transgress the law.

There are more than 600 idle prisoners within the walls of the Ohio Penitentiary today. Such a condition, it must be announced is largely political. Half hearted efforts have been made in the past to relieve this intolerable condition but political conditions have intervened to defeat the movement.

The last General Assembly provided that in the construction of certain highways, first consideration should be given to certain prison made material. The law contemplated the manufacture of paving brick by the employment of prison labor.

With this legal basis already provided there is being started an agitation to employ the idle prison forces within a state owned and operated brickyard.

It is stated that Warden Thomas is preparing to take an urgent stand for a sufficient appropriation to provide a brickyard where at least from 300 to 400 of the idle prisoners can be employed. The legislature should unhesitatingly meet this demand with the desired funds.

The cause of humanity demands it. And just as urgently does the cause of public efficiency back up the demand.

### Weather Report

Washington, February 14.—Ohio, West Virginia and Western Pennsylvania: Generally fair Thursday; Friday rain and colder.

Indiana — Fair Thursday, except rain in southwest portion; Friday rain and colder.

Lower Michigan—Increasing cloudiness Thursday, probably rain in south and snow in north portions; Friday snow or rain and colder.

### WEATHER FORECAST

Ohio—Rain; colder.

Daily Calendar.  
From noon today to noon tomorrow: Sun sets, 5:34; moon sets, 8:40 p. m.; sun rises, 6:55.

### CLIMATOLOGICAL CHART.

1:00 o'clock p. m.  
Temperature .....66  
Lowest last night.....28  
Moisture percentage .....78  
Barometer .....29.64

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3. Is increasing day by day
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We buy hides, all kinds Also barrels, oil barrels paint barrels, vinegar barrels, pickle barrels.

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### HOW JOE FOUND HIMSELF



### PART TWO, CHAPTER 2.

As all Joe's companions left one by one to join the great war, and help to make this old world a decent place to live in, he found himself wondering more and more what it was all about. There was an old fellow in Joe's neighborhood that Joe had known all his life. Meeting him on the street one day the old fellow asked him, "well Joseph, when are you going along with the rest of the bunch?" Mel Houston looked pretty well in his uniform the other day when he passed by.

"Oh, I dunno," Joe answered, "I ain't in the draft age yet and besides I don't want to sleep in any cold, old tent and have to eat what you're lucky enough to get."

"Well," the old fellow cracked back at him, "Mel looked as if he was eatin' pretty good stuff and gettin' plenty of sleep too, the last time I saw him." And chuckling to himself he shuffled down the street. Joe stood and watched him until he was out of sight. Then he walked slowly along thinking to himself and turning over and over in his brain what the old codger had said. "What'd he mean when he said Mel looked swell in his uniform?" He thought to himself.

A few days later Joe was talking to Bill Jackson—Bill was a corporal now—when a fellow they both knew, came along and he said to Bill, "I'll get you a bottle if you want. I guess you're kinda longin' for a shot, hey Bill?"

"Not me," said Bill, "I'm off the stuff, why doggon it I never knew what real livin' and fun was 'till I hopped aboard with Uncle Sam." Joe looked at Bill very intently and couldn't quite figure it out, for it was the first time he had ever heard Bill refuse a drink. Bill looked different, too, now that you come to think about it. All that old slouch was gone. His eyes looked clear and bright, full of snap and there was a something in the

way he carried himself that Joe hadn't noticed before.

That evening when Joe went around to get Irma for a dance they were going to, he was much surprised when Irma laughingly told him, "Come on Joe, sit down and hold this yarn while I roll it up. You know I saw Mel Houston today and I don't think the poor kid is warm enough. Why he didn't have a muffler on and he didn't seem to have any of those little fancies that most of the soldiers have. You see, Mel hasn't any folks of his own and nobody to make him little comforts so I thought I'd start in and make him some myself. Now you sit over in this chair and hold the yarn this way and I'll wind it up and instead of going out tonight, lets sit here and talk—why, where're you going, what's the matter Joe?"

But Joe was gone and slammed the door behind him.

H. C.

(The third cartoon in this series will appear next Monday.)

### Markets

NEW YORK STOCKS, LAST SALE  
New York, February 14.—American Beet Sugar 78½; American Sugar Refining 105; Baltimore & Ohio 51; Bethlehem Steel 76½; Chesapeake & Ohio 14½; Erie 32½; Kennicott Copper 11½; Louisville & Nashville 44½; Norfolk & Western 105; Ohio Cities Gas 42; Republic Iron and Steel 75½; United States Steel 94½; Willys Overland 18½.

LIVE STOCK MARKET.  
Pittsburg, February 14.—Hogs: Receipts 4500; market lower; heavies \$16.30@16.50; heavy yorkers \$16.75@16.80; light yorkers \$16.25@16.50; pigs \$15.00@15.50.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 1000; market steady to lower; top sheep \$14.00; top lambs \$17.50.

Calves—Receipts 200; Market steady; top \$16.00.

Chicago, February 14.—Hogs—Receipts 38,000; market firm; bulk \$15.85@16.20; light \$15.50@16.25; mixed \$15.60@16.25; heavy \$15.50@16.15; rough \$15.50@15.65; pigs \$12.50@14.85.

Cattle—Receipts 14,000; market weak; native beef cattle \$8.40@13.80; cows and heifers \$6.30@11.60; calves \$8.50@13.75.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 8,000; market weak; wethers \$10.00@13.25; lambs \$13.75@16.90.

Miss Florence Schryver is spending the day in Columbus.

Cleveland, O., February 14.—Hogs—Receipts 300; market steady.

Calves—Receipts 200; market slow good to choice veal calves \$14.00@15.00.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 1000; market steady; good to choice lambs \$17.00@17.50.

Hogs—Receipts 3,000; market steady; heavies and mediums \$16.75; pigs \$15.50; stags \$14.25.

Cincinnati, O., February 14.—Hogs—Receipts 1,200; market strong; packers and butchers \$15.75@16.25; stags \$10.00@12.00.

Cattle—Receipts 200; market slow. Calves—Weak; \$6.00@14.00.

Sheep—Steady.

Lambs—Steady.

### GRAIN MARKET CLOSE

Chicago, February 14.—Corn—Mar. \$1.27½; May \$1.25½.

Oats—Mar. 85½; May 82½.

Pork—May \$47.35.

Lard—May \$25.50; July \$25.60.

Ribs—May \$24.50.

### CLOVER SEED

Prime cash (old) \$20.70; (new) \$20.90; February \$20.90; March \$19.90

### ALSIKE

February \$17.85; March \$18.00.

### TIMOTHY

Prime cash (old) \$3.90; (new) \$4.00; March \$4.05; April \$4.10.

### THE LOCAL MARKET

Wheat ..... \$2.07  
Corn ..... \$1.25  
Oats ..... 80c  
WASHINGTON PRODUCE MARKET  
Butter ..... 40c  
Young Chickens ..... 18c  
Eggs ..... 40c  
Hens ..... 15c  
Creamery Butter (retail) ..... 58c

### WANTED—3 GIRLS AT ONCE.

LARRIMER LAUNDRY. 38 12

### OHIO NEWS

(By American Press)

Burns Provc Fatal.

Marion, O., Feb. 14.—Mrs. J. O. Miller, wealthy farmer's wife, died from burns received in a natural gas explosion.

### Swell in Sandusky River.

Fremont, O., Feb. 14.—Sandusky river is at flood stage, with immense ice gorges below and above this city. Families in the lowlands have moved out and merchants have placed stocks on stilts higher than the water reach ed in the flood of 1913.

### Homes Surrounded by Water.

Napoleon, O., Feb. 14.—Thirty-five homes are surrounded by the Maumee river here as a result of an ice gorge which formed near the city. The water came up so rapidly when the gorge formed that several families had no time to move furniture.

### Bound and Robbed.

Canton, O., Feb. 14.—Two armed men entered the tailoring store of Isadore Folk, held up Folk, bound his arms and stripped him of his diamond stud and diamond ring, his watch and purse. The diamonds secured by the thieves are valued at \$1,300.

### Bakers Boost Price.

Cleveland, Feb. 14.—The price of bread in Cleveland was increased 1 cent a pound by all of the large baking concerns. Representatives of a dozen companies appeared before the flour committee and said that bakers were unable to meet expenses and continue business at the present price schedule.

### "Corn-Less Day" for Feet, Every Day

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"Gets-It" is sold at all druggists (You need pay no more than 25 cents a bottle), or sent on receipt of price by E. Lawrence & Co., Chicago, Ill.

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complete ready to use

50 3-cell V-P.....24c

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gated .....88c

\$1.50 2-cell Miner \$1.21

15c Wood Base Battery Switch.....9c

50c No-Glare for Auto Head Lights 25c

\$3.25 Bike or Buggy

Lamp complete \$2.46

\$5.50 Spot Light \$3.70

\$4.00 Gasoline Iron

of good make—

been slightly used...\$1

\$3.00 2-burner Gas

Fixture only; no

glassware.....\$2.21

\$3.50 two-battery

Lantern, dark oak

case, big reflector

and bail.....\$2.10

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# Social and Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Raulerson entertained last night at their home on East Central avenue with a fish dinner. The guests were Mr. Jacobs, of New York; Mrs. Edw. Herbert, Manassas, N. J.; Mrs. Langstroff, East Orange, N. J.; Mr. and Mrs. Emmitt McLean, Greenfield, Ohio; Miss Carrie McCoy and Miss Rose McLean, Washington Court House, Ohio.

The fish for the occasion were caught in the St. Johns river by Messrs Raulerson and McLean.—The Morning Sentinel Orlando, Fla.

The warm spring weather brought out a good attendance at the all day meeting of the Woman's Home Missionary Society, of the Grace M. E. Church in the church basement, Wednesday.

Thirty-six members present in the morning patriotically improved their hours by clipping, knitting and the sewing of carpet rags.

The rug committee gave, the very gratifying report that all the rugs had been sold, and that they had orders for more to be made.

At noon, a Hoover box luncheon was served. Rev. Arthur P. Cherrington and Harold Hays, Secretary of the Y. M. C. A. were guests.

At the afternoon session fifty women were present.

No special program had been arranged, as most of the time was given over to the studying of the "Enigma" read by the President, Mrs. Henry Willis.

After the Devotional exercises, prayers were offered for the home schools and the soldiers. Also a vote of sympathy was extended to the women of the society who were unable to be present on account of sickness.

The members were glad to welcome Mrs. C. C. Martin, of Washington avenue in to the society, also Mrs. Harry Rodecker as a perpetual member.

One of the most gratifying and pleasurable meetings in the annals of the Women's Missionary Society of the First Presbyterian church was held with Mrs. Austin F. Hopkins on Wednesday afternoon.

Entertaining with Mrs. Hopkins, president of the society, were the members of the Executive Board, Mesdames Ustick, Woodward, Walker, John Hicks, Waddell, Arthur Leland, Minter, Gage, William Sprenger, Harry Sprenger, Misses Blanche Tullis, Alta Sprenger.

While the gathering was one of congenial sociability to which hospitality lent added enjoyment, the big underlying purpose was to raise a "War Emergency Fund" to insure the continuance of work in the mission fields and to provide for the greatly increased expenses of the year.

Each of the twelve chairmen of the year's hostesses made individual report of the success with which they had solicited the church women.

The response had been splendid. Much enthusiasm followed the reports announcing a subscription of over \$150.00 an amount far larger than had been expected. The women of the society much appreciated a gift of \$20.00 from Mrs. Charles Persinger.

After the attendant excitement following the reports had quieted the hostess served an unusually elaborate collation.

Partners were secured by matching scarlet heart valentines and all over the spacious home festoons of the same bright hued valentines were hung.

The Endeavor Society of the Christian Church enjoyed a delightful valentine social at the home of Mrs. Calvina Williams on N. North street last night. There were about thirty present and the evening was spent in the enjoyment of games and music. One of the unique features in keeping with the valentine season was the "Postoffice," Miss Katherine Williams acted as postmistress and some interesting mail was distributed. Dainty refreshments were served and a most enjoyable evening was spent.

The Priscilla Bible class of the Christian Church and friends of the class were pleasurably entertained Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Mary Blackmore on Gregg street with a Kensington. The afternoon was devoted to knitting and clipping for the Red Cross. About forty women were in attendance. Dainty refreshments were served.

Mrs. Herbert Cockerill extended the hospitality of her country home on the Greenfield pike to the G. R. C. Wednesday afternoon.

After the regular hour's bible study the fourteen members present, together with three visitors, Mrs. Dave Marine, Mrs. George Porter and Miss Mabel Shingle, spent a very enjoyable afternoon knitting.

Hearts were prettily used in decoration and dainty refreshments were served.

Doral Flint, of Akron is visiting his mother, Mrs. Emma Flint.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Armstrong returned to Columbus, Thursday after spending a couple of days with Mrs. Armstrong's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Williams.

Mrs. William Jefferson, of Bloomington is spending a few days with Mrs. Lizzie Buck.

Mr. John Salmon, of the Masonic Home at Springfield is visiting his brother, Mr. Sol Salmon at the Y. M. C. A.

Mrs. Russell Peterson and daughter, Mrs. Adam Mallow, of Frankfort were shopping visitors here, Thursday enroute to Columbus to visit Mrs. Peterson's son Albert at the Ohio State University.

Mrs. Vernon Beale of Urbana is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jud Clark.

Mr. Lester M. Flax, formerly employed in the Washington Savings bank and Midland National Bank, leaves Friday morning for Asheville, N. Carolina, where he hopes to regain his health.

Mrs. H. T. Wilkin and mother, Mrs. W. N. Bean, are visitors in Columbus today.

Mr. Frank E. Haines and daughter Miss Juanita, spent Wednesday in Greenfield the guests of Mr. Austin Haines and family. They brought back with them Mr. Haines' mother, Mrs. Clara Haines, for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. John Clifton, of Chillicothe, are the guests of Mrs. M. J. Clifton on S. Fayette street.

Mrs. W. J. Galvin came up from Wilmington, Wednesday to spend the day with friends.

Mrs. Hughey Thompson has returned from a few days visit with her sister, Miss Florence Michael, at the city hospital in Springfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Ellis, of Wilmington spent Thursday with the former's sister, Miss Eva Ellis.

Mrs. C. C. Bernard and Mrs. John Rhonemus, of Sabina were among Thursday's shopping visitors here.

Dr. Robert Pugh, of Columbus, was the guest of Rev. and Mrs. William Boynton Gage, Thursday.

Mr. John Noble has returned to his farm at Carlisle, Ind., for an indefinite stay.

Mrs. John Eddington, of Nelsonville is visiting her sisters, the Misses Skinner, on South Fayette street.

Mr. Albert Glascock, of Cincinnati, has been a business visitor in this city the past two days.

Mrs. Matthew Hanna and daughter, Miss Helen, were shopping visitors here from Madison Mills, Wednesday.

Mrs. L. J. Walker is the guest of Mrs. Clara Harper for several days enroute to her home in La Fontaine, Ind., from a visit with her husband, Dr. Walker who is First Lieutenant in training at Camp Sherman.

Mr. Walter Craig returned Thursday from New York, where he has been purchasing Spring goods for the Craig Bros. store.

Mrs. Charles Fichtner and Mrs. William Burnett, of Plymouth were shopping visitors here Wednesday.

Mrs. Josephine Doddridge of Milledgeville is the guest of her son Mr. Will Doddridge, in Dayton.

Mr. E. A. Ferguson, of Milledgeville made a business trip to Columbus, Thursday.

Mrs. Charles B. Hooker and Mrs. E. Culbertson of Milledgeville were among Wednesday's shopping visitors here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Miller, left Thursday morning for their home in Steelville, Mo., after spending the past two weeks in Fayette County with relatives and friends.

## FIRE THREATENS FURNITURE PLANT

The Washington Manufacturing Company's plant in Millwood was threatened by fire, shortly before noon Thursday, when fire was discovered in the packing room where the floor had ignited as result of an overheated gas stove.

The prompt action of employees prevented the fire spreading and it was extinguished before the department could reach the scene.

When the fire truck neared the D. T. & L. railroad a passenger train was passing the crossing and the C. H. & D. had a long freight train passing over the Millikan avenue crossing, so that the truck was delayed.

When the train crew of the C. H. & D. freight saw that the truck was making for the crossing, they did everything in their power to put on additional speed and get out of the road by backing, but this resulted in a derailment of a truck and complete blocking of the crossing for the time being.

## PLANTS DONATED

The Civil Union Herald, says in part, in regard to the articles donated to the Allied Bazaar, given by the Patriotic League for the benefit of the Red Cross last week.

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## FINE WEATHER MANY IN THE CITY

The past two days have brought a host of people into the city, many of them not having been in town since the beginning of the blizzard and cold weather of early January, and shopping has been brisk.

The roads are rapidly assuming something like passable condition once more, and about all that is left of the blockade which closed most of the roads for two to four weeks may be seen at the roadside where the remnants of the big drifts are slowly melting away.

## REGULAR MEETING

The J. O. E. A. M. will hold their regular meeting Saturday night, February 16, at Odd Fellows' hall on N. Fayette street, at 7:30 p. m.

SPENCER RENO, C. JACK WOLFE, Rec. Secy.

## Y. M. C. A. HELPING SAMMIES IN ITALY

(Associated Press Correspondence)

American Aviation Camp, Southern Italy, February, 6.—The two chief events of the New Years at the camp have been the arrival of some baseballs and bats and the opening of the Young Men's Christian Association room by Dr. Walter Miller.

Time had begun to hang heavily on the hands of the young men being trained for officers, particularly at nights and during wet or windy weather, or on days when there were not enough machines to keep all busy.

In the latter case the students for whom there were no machines had to go through infantry drill or do other duties of an unexciting kind.

It was a good deal the same for the forty of more men who had passed their examinations and been declared ready to receive their commissions.

Although the "piece," as is called the big flat body of land used for training, is generally pretty well crowded, room has been found for the baseball players and life for them has once more become interesting.

The Young Men's Christian Association room provides a place to write letters home and above all to read books and magazines.

For months there was hardly a fresh American periodical or newspaper in camp, and all the old ones were falling apart from much thumbing.

Added to the old fashioned diseases of loneliness and homesickness to which youths hardly over twenty are subject was added, also the discomfort of the cold, raw weather without any heat, and this lack the Young Men's Christian Association also filled by providing a good hot fire.

## GIARDINO TAKES CADORNA'S SEAT

According to cable dispatches from Paris, General Cadorna, formerly commander-in-chief of the Italian Army, has been replaced as Italian delegate to the Supreme War Council by General Gaetano Giardino, assistant chief of staff of General Diaz, the present Italian commander-in-chief.

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All of our laundry soaps 6c per bar. 2 pounds finest hand picked soup beans for 50c. 3 pounds lima beans for 50c. 1 1/2 pounds for 25c. 2 pounds pinto beans for 25c. 3 pounds Muir peas for 50c. 1 1/2 pounds for 25c. These peas are fine and sweet. Kellogg's Post Toasties and Jersey Corn flakes 10c. We have rye and graham flour. White corn meal 16c per sack. A full line of fruits and vegetables. A good bulk Ryo coffee for 15c per pound. Red Bird, Golden Sun and Old Reliable Coffee for 25c per pound. Arbuckle's Coffee 22c per pound.

We sell strictly for cash, do not deliver so give you lower prices. Bring your baskets and come to us and we will save you money. Duffee's Cough Syrup will save your health. Big 6-oz bottle for 35c.

J. W. DUFFEE & CO.  
The Old Reliable  
Cash and Basket Grocers.

## LOSSES SHOW AN INCREASE

(By American Cross)

London, Feb. 14.—Nineteen British merchantmen were sunk by mine or submarine in the past week, the admiralty announced. Of these 13 were vessels of 1,600 tons or more and six were under that tonnage. Three fishing craft also were sunk.

The loss shows a considerable increase over that of the previous week, which totaled 15 vessels, 10 of them over 1,600 tons. In the preceding three weeks the losses were eight, eight and 15 respectively.

Ship tonnage sunk by submarines in 1917 was nearly three times as great as the total production in the United States and Great Britain.

This was disclosed by the announcement of Andrew Bonar Law, chancellor of the exchequer, in the house of commons, that Great Britain produced only 1,163,474 tons, making a total combined tonnage of 2,064,895, while sinkings by submarines last year generally are reckoned at 6,000,000 tons.

While complete figures on construction in Japan, Italy, France and other tons in 1917 are not yet available, officials here do not believe their aggregate equalled the total of the United States. If that is the case submarine sinkings more than doubled all new tonnage produced.

Both American and British officials expect a very different story in 1918, however. The United States and Great Britain are speeding up their building programs and naval officers in both countries have confidently predicted that the submarine will be curbed this summer.

Bombardments and patrol encounters along the entire western front are still taking place as for many days past, but the roar of the big guns nowhere has reported that volume of drum fire which in the past always has heralded an infantry attack of great proportions.

While the German reinforcements have been coming up the entente commanders have not been lying idle and waiting for the offensive to begin. On the other hand, they everywhere have strengthened their positions to meet any emergency and optimism is expressed, both from British and French sources, that should the Germans strike they will meet with most stubborn resistance from gun and man power.

Several additional successful raids by the British, in which German officers and men were captured and others killed, and heavy artillery fighting between the French and the Germans on various sectors sums up the activities that have been in progress on the western front.

The American sharpshooters and

artillerymen are keeping up their good work against the Germans in front of their positions, having with their shrapnel fire compelled the enemy to almost abandon fire line trenches and with their sharpshooters and rapid fire guns forced snipers to quit their posts and seek safety at other places.

## NATIONAL LEAGUE TO OPEN SEASON APRIL SIXTEENTH

By Associated Press Dispatch.

New York, February 14.—The usual 154 game schedule has been announced by the National League for the season of 1918. Play will open on Tuesday, April 16th and close on Saturday, October 5. The opening games will see Boston playing at Philadelphia; Brooklyn at New York; Pittsburgh at Cincinnati and Chicago at St. Louis. There are but two conflicting dates when the schedule is compared with that of the American League. Both occur at Chicago where the Chicago Nationals and the Chicago Americans will entertain opponents on their home grounds on June 23 and September 1.

Saturday and holiday dates have been apportioned equitably, the clubs sharing about equally in the distribution of home and abroad fixtures. Pittsburgh has the largest number of Saturdays at home, fourteen of these week-end contests being allotted to the Pirates. Cincinnati has eighteen Sundays at home and none abroad. Boston secures four holiday dates, three at home and one abroad. In other respects the clubs are placed upon a share-and-share-alike basis.

## PARKER IS MAKING GOOD IN SERVICE

David Parker, former Physical Director of the Y. M. C. A., now in the military service at Camp Sherman, is making good in every way, according to Dr. F. D. Woollard, who recently visited him in camp.

A short time ago 35 men were selected and were given certain tests in observation and memory. Parker was first in the list, completing the work in 22 minutes and making the highest test, while one of the men reported after one hour and 43 minutes of work.

Mr. Parker is perfectly satisfied in camp except that he is not receiving letters from friends in this city, and they are urged to write to him.

## EARLY ACTION ON STREET CLEANING

Indications are that within a short time the city council will take up the problem of cleaning the paved streets of the city, either by flushing or sprinkling, and that some definite program will be agreed upon so that the streets of the city can be kept in something like presentable and healthful condition in the future.

Most of the recently paved streets have not had a thorough cleaning since they were constructed, and conditions have been going from bad to worse.

## DECIDE SATURDAY

The question of which shall be the Republican candidate for State Senator from this county and for the district, will be decided at a meeting of the Republican Central Committee Saturday afternoon at two o'clock.

BROWNELL INCUBATES EGGS.  
THREE CENTS PER EGG. 36

## LYNCH CONTENDER FOR BANTAM TITLE



JOE LYNCH

Joe Lynch, of New York, has been rapidly coming to the front. His recent knockout of Kid Williams, former bantamweight champion, in four rounds, places him in the front rank of contenders. Lynch is the only fighter that ever stopped Williams and is hot on the trail of Champion Pete Herman for the title.

## VIEWS OF OTHERS

Special interest attaches to the following letter taken from the "Mail Bag" of the Columbus Dispatch, since it was written by a Fayette Co. woman who has been prominent as a leader in the Boys' and Girls' Poultry Club and other lines of woman's activities for the betterment of the farm:

### FARMER NOT A HOARDER

To the Editor of The Dispatch.

Sir: In reply to "Disgusted One," he must be suffering from depression of spirits, for surely he is misjudging the farmer. We have been taking our pound of sugar and cart of coal, with the rest, besides taking a half-day to make a trip for same. As for hoarding of crops, I can say that two-thirds of the corn crop of Fayette County is in the field unharvested. Farmers in many instances have been feeding corn and fodder to stock. Do not know of a single farmer that has wheat on hand. Now we are paying from six dollars and a half to ten dollars per bushel for seed corn for this year's crop. In many instances the farmers have lost their entire crop of potatoes by freezing. This has been an unusual cold winter. In regard to the chicken, it is the cheapest meat on the market. We are getting 55c per dozen for eggs, production of same costing us not less than \$1.00 per dozen, and again you are mistaken about the farmer's not being patriotic. They are organized into units of "The War Work Council," just the same as city folks. And are the possessors of Liberty Bonds, Thrift or War Savings Stamps, members of Red Cross and are moving shoulder to shoulder with the rest. We are giving up many of our boys for soldiers. Of course we are begging for enough to be left to carry on our farm work as there is so much expected of us. These are very strenuous years

on the farm. Farmers in general do not complain about \$2.00 wheat. Just think of the years we have raised it at a loss, \$1.00 wheat at the present time wouldn't pay expenses.

A Farmer's Wife.

Washington C. H.

## A GOOD FRIEND

A good friend stands by you when in need. Washington C. H. people tell how Doan's Kidney Pills have stood the test. Mrs. J. J. Cramblett of 474 S. Fayette Street, Washington C. H. endorsed Doan's four years ago and again confirms the story. Could you ask for more convincing testimony?

"I was all run down and I had to give up my work," says Mrs. Cramblett. "An attack of lumbago left me helpless. My back ached and it pained me so much I could hardly bend over. My kidneys showed many signs of weakness. I couldn't sleep well and mornings, I could hardly get out of bed. My head ached and I had such dizzy spells. I ached hardly walk. I was nearly a physical wreck. I got a box of Doan's Kidney Pills and they put me in good health." (Statement given July 31, 1913.)

On August 7, 1917, Mrs. Cramblett said: "I am glad to recommend Doan's Kidney Pills again. Whenever I notice any symptoms of kidney trouble coming on, I use Doan's and soon get fine relief." Price 60c at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Cramblett had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfgs., Buffalo, N. Y. Advt.

The Classified column has a buyer.

## Valentines

Folders, Post Cards, Novelties at Rodecker's News Stand.

## All Hogs and Cattle

eat and must be fed in wet weather as well as good. Feeding them in leaking boots and artics is like asking the Doctor for a trip "OVER THE TOP." Protect your health and save money by letting us renew their 'SOLES' and haul "OVER THEIR TOPS."

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## B. H. MILLIKAN POST

No 12 Department of Ohio, G. A. R. will meet in regular session Saturday afternoon, February 16, 1918 at 2:00 o'clock. A full attendance of all members of the Post is urged. Visiting comrades will receive a cordial welcome.

I. N. ROWE, P. C.  
R. H. Harrop, Adjt.

## NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT

Estate of Jacob Hosler, deceased. Notice is hereby given that Anna Hosler has been duly appointed and qualified as Administratrix of the estate of Jacob Hosler late of Fayette County, Ohio, deceased.

FRANK M. ALLEN,  
Judge of the Probate Court,  
No. 2052, Fayette County, Ohio,  
January 31, 1918.

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## RAISE CHICKENS

The United States Food Administration has ordered that no hens be sold, except for egg producing purposes, until April 30th, 1918.

This has been done for the purpose of keeping all hens on the farm.

Keep your hens busy laying.

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FOR RENT OR SALE—4 room cottage on South Sycamore, painted, gas, large garden. Glenn M. Pine, Auto. 7591-5381. 31 16

FOR RENT—7 room house, bath, furnace, electric light and all conveniences. Inquire at J. E. Adams' office. 29 16

FOR RENT—Semi-modern 5 room house, Oak street. Inquire Ida Hays. 9 16

FOR RENT—6 room house, out buildings corner lot. Soft and hard water, small garden spot. Phones Automatic 5183 or 3851, Bell 368-R. 303 16

FOR RENT—Six room house on Blackstone avenue, Fayette Renting Agency Rooms 6 and 7 Pavey Bldg. 287 16

FOR RENT—One half double house on Elm Street, five rooms, gas, water. Call automatic 23771. 255 16

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Small power Vacuum cleaner; also 1/4 and 1 "H. P." motors 1 Seven room modern brick house. H. W. Wills, Auto Repair Shop. 37 16

FOR SALE—Baby Cart with top, food as new. Mrs. Simon Hidy, Automatic 5391. 37 16

FOR SALE—Collie Pups. \$2.00. Call Automatic 9481. 37 16

FOR SALE OR RENT—Four room house and nine acres of ground. Call John Nelson, Manara, Ohio, Bell phone 301 R 2. 36 16

FOR SALE—Hay, John Nelson, Manara Ohio, Bell phone 301 R. 2. 36 16

FOR SALE—Two gas heaters and one radiator. Call 3892. 36 16

FOR SALE—Ford and Studebaker "39" car. H. W. Wills Repair Shop. 34 16

FOR SALE—8 immured shoats weight 100 lbs. Call Tom Blair, Automatic 7501. 35 16

FOR SALE—White enamel gas range, good as new. Call 3892. 35 16

FOR SALE—No. 1 Jersey cow, 4 years old; fresh April 1st. Bargain. G. W. Schuster, R. 4, Washington. 35 16

FOR SALE—Double barrel shot gun "N. B. Davis" good as new. Call Geo. Chaney Grocery. 35 16

FOR SALE—2-room house. Call Bell telephone 603-W. 33 16

FOR SALE—Two farms, one, one hundred seven acres, other, one hundred thirty-four acres situated on pike rural delivery, centralized school and within two miles of town, will sell one or both, for further particulars write D. M. White, East Liberty, Ohio. 33 16

FOR SALE—Shorthorn cow and calf. J. E. Davy, Bell phone 304-R5. 31 16

FOR SALE—The Lucinda Tharp

property in West Holland. Inquire of C. F. Barnett, Automatic 12323 Washington Exchange. 29 16

WANTED

\$1.00 WILL BE GIVEN to each of several schoolboys who will deliver copies of the Curtis publications to customers. Only school boys—clean, gentlemanly and ambitious—need apply. The \$1.00 is in addition to liberal cash profits and many other advantages. Apply to H. R. Dodecker, P. O. Lobby, Washington Court House, Ohio.

WANTED—Women wanted full time salary \$24 selling guaranteed hosiery to wear 50c an hour spare time. Big Easter business experience unnecessary. Guaranteed Mills, Norristown, Pa.

WANTED—A farm hand. None but experienced need apply. Call Automatic phone 12695, Harry McGee. 36 16

WANTED—Experienced girl for housework in family of two. Apply 228 N. Hinds St., Bell phone 139-W. 36 16

WANTED—Someone to adopt two nice little girls—preferably some good person with no children. Down sick and not able to keep them, can give good references. Mrs. A. Floyd, Washington C. H., R. R. 5. 35 16

WANTED—A coal cook stove; must be in good condition. Call Auto. 12338. 35 16

WANTED—To rent, 200 to 300 acres of farm land. Address letter to X. Y. Z. care Herald. 34 16

WANTED—Man to work on farm, good wages, house, cow, garden furnished. Glen L. Smith, R. 7, Automatic phone 12168. 29 16

MONEY LOANED—On live stock, chattels and second mortgages. Notes bought. John Harbino, Jr., Allen Building, Xenia, Ohio. 430-13

WANTED—To buy your old feather beds. Haynes Furniture Company. 185 16

YOUR FURNITURE—Refinished in French Gray, Old Ivory, Mission, or to match your hangings. Upholstering and repolishing. For estimates and samples see Haynes Furniture Company.

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Monday, on the Circleville pike; black felt robe. Finder please call Charles Grimes, New Holland, 3 on 86. Reward. 36 16

K. OF P.

Members of drill squad report for drill Thursday evening, February 14. Big eat.

C. W. SEVER, M. of W.

# NEW REGULATIONS FOR CONSERVATION OF VARIOUS FOODS

The Fayette County Food Administration has received the following new rule from the State Food Administrator, which should be read by all citizens:

**CANNED GOODS.**  
Approximately two months ago we asked the retail trade to limit sales of certain canned goods to four cans of any one commodity, at any one time, to families of ordinary size. Conditions are such that we are now able to remove this limitation and canned goods may now be sold in sufficient quantities to supply the customers' needs for a reasonable time.

**FLOUR PACKAGES.**  
Since the Food Administration "Substitute Regulations" require the individual consumer purchaser to take a specified quantity of flour substitutes with all purchases of wheat flour, thereby changing the relation of the present minimum 1.8 barrel mill package to total consumption, it has been thought advisable to reinstate the sale and packing of the 1.16 barrel package of wheat flour on and after February 11, 1918. Therefore, from now on the minimum package in which flour will be packed, will be 1.16 barrel, instead of the 1.8 barrel as at present.

**POULTRY REGULATION.**  
Effective February 11th and until April 30th, dealers in poultry are forbidden to purchase, ship or sell any live or freshly killed hens or pullets. As an egg conservation measure, the following ruling was promulgated by the Poultry and Egg Division of the United States Food Administration at Washington:

**RULE 14.** The licensee shall not, between February 11, 1918 and April 30, 1918, purchase, ship, sell or negotiate the sale of, any live or freshly killed hens or pullets; provided, however, that this shall not prevent the purchase, shipment or sale between February 11 and February 23, 1918, of hens or pullets which were either killed or shipped prior to February 11, 1918, to markets for sale as food and, provided further, that nothing in this shall prevent the purchase, shipment or sale of live hens or pullets for egg production purposes.

Very Truly Yours,  
Fred C. Croxton  
Federal Food Administrator for Ohio.

## BIG WAVE CARRIED NUTT TO SAFETY

Wilbur S. Nutt, of Spring Valley, O., former truck driver under Truckmaster Red Lewis of this city while with Pershing in Mexico, had a most miraculous escape from the Tuscania, off the Irish coast when the vessel was torpedoed by a German submarine recently.

A giant wave carried Nutt to safety over the big rocks on the shore, while his comrades in the same lifeboat were dashed to their death against the rocks, according to an Associated Press report of the man's escape. He is now in a hospital recovering from the effects of exposure.

According to his story, Nutt was one of 30 men in lifeboat No. 11, when it pulled away from the Tuscania, vitally wounded by the German U-boat. When the boat was capsized by the breakers and rocks all the men were thrown into the water. It was dark, and picked up by a great wave, Nutt was swept over the rocks and landed on the beach.

"I wandered for six hours up and down the cliff," said Nutt to The Associated Press correspondent. "I have just seen the names of all the other occupants of the boat among the dead."

## CALL TO THE WOMEN OF FAYETTE COUNTY

The women of Fayette County have planned a Mass Meeting to be held Saturday, February 16th at 2:30 p. m. at the Women's Federated Club rooms in the Y. M. C. A. building, Washington Court House, in order to organize an Auxiliary to the Fayette County War Work Council of the Council of National Defence. Fayette County is one of the few counties in the State without such an organization.

Every woman in Fayette county is cordially invited to be present at this meeting.  
Committee on Organization.

## LADIES CIRCLE OF THE G. A. R.

The regular meeting of the Ladies Circle of the G. A. R., Friday afternoon, February 15th at Memorial Hall. A full attendance is desired.

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## SOLDIERS' LETTERS

Mrs. M. L. Yeoman of this city is in receipt of the following letter from her son, Percal Yeoman, of the Marine Corps, stationed at Paris Island, So. Carolina:

"Paris Island, Feb. 2nd, 1918.  
"Dear Mother:—  
"I have arrived at the barracks. It is a fine place. We have to help do our share of the work. I helped get breakfast yesterday morning. We were learned to make a soldier's bunk. We haven't taken our last examination. We were boxing yesterday. I showed one fellow how it was done. We have plenty to eat. It is plain but good. I certainly hope I pass the next examination.

"PERCAL YEOMAN."

## MAN PAST AGE AND GETS DISCHARGE

George Washington Kelly, who registered in this county for military service and who later figured in an unusual suit over the custody of a child, has been discharged from among the list of drafted men after having submitted three affidavits declaring that he was past the draft age at the time he registered.

The affidavits, one of which was from the Probate Judge of Highland county, and another from his mother, were placed in the hands of the Local Board which forwarded them to the District Board, and orders for the man's discharge was issued.

## FAYETTE STREAMS AGAIN SUBSIDING

Fayette streams, many of which assumed flood conditions as result of the thaw and rains, are resuming their normal condition after thoroughly clearing out their channels of the accumulated ice and refuse of many months.

The freshet is the first to cause Fayette streams to leave their banks since last spring.

During the first part of the winter the streams were very low, and not only the streams have been low, but many wells have been almost dry.

Not only has virtually all of the snow disappeared, but the ground is thawing rapidly under the coaxing influences of the warm sunshine.

## AUDITOR NOW HAS LICENSE RECORDS

County Auditor Glenn M. Pine now has charge of the set of auto license records which are sent to each county in the state, and which give the auto license tag number of every person in the state.

These record books are the ones to which a person refers when they wish to establish the identity of an owner of a car. These books will be kept in place where they may be referred to by the public at any time.

## MARRIAGE LICENSES

Frank J. Hanlon, 34, captain commanding 5th training battalion, Camp Sherman, and Elizabeth Snider, 21, city.

## Skin Sufferers

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One hundred hens and a few hundred chicks can turn a lot of farm waste into good food. Incidentally the poultry will leave on the land valuable fertilizer at the rate of two or three tons for every hundred birds.

One hundred hens on every farm, and one hundred eggs from every hen, mean more poultry and eggs for consumption on the farm, more to sell, more to substitute for red meat, and more power to our arms and the allies.

For Information How to Help Your Farm and Help the Nation by Raising More Poultry

Write Your State Agricultural College, or U. S. Dep't. of Agriculture Washington, D. C.

## BRINGING UP FATHER

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BY GEORGE MCMANUS

